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Another personal update:

I turned in my [redacted] badge to OTR today. All tasking (management training) under two year contract complete. So my work for the Agency is now ended. That's a funny feeling.

Betty and I now turn full-time to running our Bethesda Art Gallery...a little project which demands an amazing amount of time and energy. We're still loving it --- and still not making any money at it!

Want to thank you again for your kind words at the awards ceremony last October. It was, of course, doubly meaningful to me that you were the presenting officer. I know you go through an awful number of such ceremonies. But you made it a swell occasion for me. And maybe that's the whole point.

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Best of luck to you in these turbulent days..

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